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Ex-Governor Washburn's health is gradually improving, under the influence of the "magic waters" at Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

The wife of Senator Cameron, of this State, has been in such ill-health as not to be able to go into Washington society this winter.

When General Fairchild was in Madrid, says the State Journal, he came across a fine original oil-portrait of Christopher Columbus. Before leaving, he ordered a correct copy in oil, to be made for the Wisconsin State Historical Society, and the treasure will soon be received here and hung in the society's portrait gallery.

Recent dispatches from Wyoming says that Governor John W. Hoyt, formerly Secretary of the Wisconsin State Agricultural society, was very signally endorsed in that Territory by the adoption of resolutions in the Territorial Legislature, recently, by a unanimous vote, approving of his administration of the office and expressing a desire for his reappointment.

Reports tell us that emigrants are passing through St. Paul on their way to new homes in the Far Northwest, at the rate of nearly a thousand a day. They appear in many cases ill-provided for such a journey, and are compelled to travel in jolting, filthy emigrant cars. This is what we see now. It won't be long, the way the world goes, before palace cars will be none too good for the children of the emigrants of to-day.

Moorhead, Minnesota, where W. G. Roberts, formerly of the Gazette, and J. A. Traasell, lately of Beloit, have started an evening paper, is a town about two hundred miles from St. Paul, and is located at the junction of the Northern Pacific railway and the St. Paul, Minneapolis, and Manitoba railway. It is on the east side of Red river, opposite Fargo, Dakota, and at this point, the river divides the State of Minnesota from the Territory of Dakota.

Edwin Booth plays Hamlet in Madison, next Monday night, and the sale of seats began at the Opera house at ten o'clock on Thursday morning. In two hours the entire house was sold at \$2.00, \$1.50, and \$1.00, and even before twelve o'clock came, not a seat for love or money could be bought. The entire capacity of the Opera house having been sold in two hours, would indicate that there will be hundreds in Madison debarred from hearing Booth because it will be impossible to purchase a seat.

There appears to be somebody connected with the war department at Washington, or more properly with the administration, who is a little too anxious to get Sergeant Mason in the penitentiary. While the application for a writ of habeas corpus was pending, he was hustled off to Albany, exchanged the blue uniform for the striped suit of a convict, and sent to his cell. If the President does not pardon Sergeant Mason, or in some manner modify the sentence, it will be a disgrace to his administration. But it has been said Mason published a card in a Washington paper before starting for the prison, that he did not want a pardon from a "Guiteau President." If he has been indiscreet enough to write any such a card as that, the movement in all parts of the country to secure his pardon, will probably fail.

It was rather a rough joke the members of the Assembly, "regardless of party" played on the Democratic member from Dane, Mr. Elver. In committee of the whole, Mr. Elver was placed in the chair, and although he thought he could fill the position, he soon learned that he was the victim of a joke. The Journal describes the scene as follows: "The air soon became thick with tobacco smoke; motion and cross motions flew around the chairman's head, till it fairly swam, and the chamber was as noisy and disorderly as a bear garden, before the first bill was disposed of. It was a regular circus for the lobbies and galleries, and the members appeared to enjoy it in much the same spirit they would a Milwaukee cock-fight. The scene was enlivened by a rather unorthodox wrestling match between Messrs. Root and Krueger, which was still undecided when the Speaker resumed the gavel, dismissed the committee and restored order out of wild riot." In fifteen minutes, and for the first time during the session, Mr. Elver learned that he was no earthly good in the Assembly.

George Q. Cannon, the delegate in Congress from Utah, is 57 years old, has four wives and twenty-one children living. He occupies his old seat in a corner on the Democratic side of the House but hereafter will not be able to draw pay, or be recognized as having any rights on the floor of Congress, except as once having been a delegate in Congress. He is an editor by profession, and was one of the pioneers at Salt Lake. In 1862, when the Territory asked to be admitted in the Union, he was elected United States Senator. He served many years in the Territorial Legislature, and has served ten years as a delegate in Congress. Mr. Cannon regards the anti-polygamy law just enacted by Congress as "cowardly and unjust." Of course he will not attempt to keep his seat contrary to law, and will only submit because the law is stronger than he. In an interview he said his twenty-one children live peacefully together and attend private schools, and that his wives do not quarrel. There are about 2,500 polygamous homes in Utah, and the number of wives in each will average three—possibly four—and the average number of children will not exceed fifteen in a family.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Secretary Kirkwood to Retire From the Cabinet in Two Weeks.

The Democrats Dissatisfied With General Rosecrans.

Five Boys Killed By the Caving in of a Play House at St. Joseph.

No Lives Lost By the Recent Great Earthquake in Costa Rica.

The Sale of the Valuable Collection of Paintings Belonging to Alvin Adams.

A Row in the Academy of Music at Milwaukee.

Other Interesting State and Miscellaneous News Items.

FROM MADISON.

Special to the Gazette.
Many members of the Legislature and clerks appeared with the Irish green in honor of Ireland's patron saint.

SENATE.
In the Senate, Hudd's bill for safe-keeping of the public money, was killed. A short session will be had to-night, when the Senate will adjourn till Monday night.

MADISON, March 17.—A valuable lot of mail was burned by the carelessness of the postoffice clerks. Over 1,500 letters are lost, many of them are valuable. A map hanging near a gas jet was set on fire and ignited the mass of sorted letters which were entirely destroyed.

THE RUSH TO SEE BOOTH.

ROCKFORD, Ill., March 16.—It took just one hour and a half this morning to sell the seats for the entertainment to be given here on the 21st by Booth, and \$1,200 was taken in. Never before in the history of the city was there such a rush for seats. A number of persons remained up all night. Considerable money was spent in speculation.

MASON'S CASE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 16.—Mr. Bigelow, counsel for Sergeant Mason, says he is determined to investigate the subject of Mason's precipitate transportation to the Albany penitentiary, with a view of ascertaining by what authority he was so hurriedly sent off while a motion for the issuance of a writ of habeas corpus was pending. He will endeavor to discover whether an intention on the part of any authority existed to deprive his client of the benefits of such writ. Bigelow intends to call the attention of the adjutant general of the army to the matter.

KEIFER'S TRIUMPH.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—The speaker and the Republican party came out with flying colors to-day, regarding the Money row last night. Mr. McLane made a point of order, which the speaker overruled, and he appealed with a good deal of feeling, but soon decided to withdraw the appeal. Then Mr. Kenna presented resolutions condemnatory of the attempt to reprimand, which resolutions Speaker Keifer most effectively killed off by saying he would favor them if on the floor, and that in his proposition to "reprimand" Mr. Money, the word was used in the sense which Webster gives it—that of repressing, not of punishing for past offenses. This took all the wind out of Mr. Kenna's sails, and he withdrew the resolutions and sank into his seat, thoroughly discomfited.

VALUABLE PAINTINGS.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The Herald has a special from Boston, saying: The valuable collection of paintings belonging to the estate of the late Alvin Adams, the founder of the Adams Express Company, was sold at auction to-day at Tremont Temple. Mr. Adams' private gallery at his elegant residence in Watertown, has for years been one of the attractions for tourists of a cultivated taste. A large company assembled in the temple this afternoon, and the bidding was spirited, although the prices realized were wretchedly small. The aggregate sum realized was \$27,500. A beautiful landscape painting from the brush of Bierstadt, picturing the scenery "Among the Sierras," and the largest painting of the collection, measuring 12½x75 inches inside the frame, brought the remarkably low price of \$1,400. The purchaser was Mr. John Hoey, of New York, who, it is said, is attending the sale in the interest of Wm. H. Vanderbilt. It is estimated that this painting cost Mr. Adams at least \$15,000.

WOMEN ARE EVERY USING and recommending Parker's Ginger Tonic, because they have learned from experience that it speedily overcomes despondency, indigestion, pain or weakness in the back and kidneys, and other troubles peculiar to the sex.—Home Journal. See adv.

SERGEANT MASON.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Petitions for the pardon of Sergeant Mason are beginning to come in from all parts of the country. The first one received by the President came to-day from Ohio. It has a large number of signatures.

TO LEAVE THE CABINET.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—It may be announced semi-authoritatively that Secretary Kirkwood will not remain in the cabinet longer than two weeks in all probability, popular belief to the contrary notwithstanding. The time when he shall retire depends somewhat upon the readiness with which the President shall determine what to offer him where he may be most useful to the public. It is destined, of course, at the same time to make a tender of some position which will be agreeable to the Secretary himself and to the people of Iowa.

DISSATISFIED DEMOCRATS.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—There is said to be much bad feeling among certain Democratic members at the selection of General Rosecrans as chairman of the Congressional Campaign committee. Those who favored Flower say Rosecrans is too old and that his selection puts the party on the defensive at once with reference to all of Garfield's friends and to the anti Catholic sentiment of the country.

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A SAD EVENT.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 16.—Five boys, aged from 9 to 11 lost their lives late this afternoon by the caving in of a play-house which they had dug in a bank in the north part of the city. The boys attending school in that vicinity commenced digging last fall and having penetrated a few feet into the bank, dug out a room six feet high and about six by eight in dimensions. At 4:30 this afternoon, after school, a number of boys repaired to the cave for their usual frolic, then the bank caved in upon five of them, crushing and smothering them to death, some seventeen feet of earth piling upon them. The alarm was given, and a great crowd of citizens soon collected, and at 6:30 the lifeless bodies of the five boys had been dug out.

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NOBODY HURT.

PANAMA, March 8.—The earthquake is reported in Costa Rica as extending from Cartago, at the dividing ridge between the two oceans, to the Pacific coast. Three churches and a number of dwellings were ruined in Cartago. In San Jose, Alajuela, Grecia, and San Ramon public and private buildings were thrown down or otherwise damaged, and in Puntarenas, on the Pacific, the upheaval occasioned some damage. The famous volcano of Irazu, quiet for years, although with fires eternally smoldering, is credited with this disturbance. No loss of life is reported.

AN AGREEABLE DRESSING FOR THE HAIR, that will stop its falling, has been long sought for. Parker's Hair Balsam, distinguished for its fatty supplies this want.

A ROW IN MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE, March 16.—Alice Oates, of opera bouffe fame, has awakened the quiet of theatrical life in Milwaukee with a terrific row over financial matters. About 8 o'clock this evening, while people were still crowded the Academy of Music box-office, a sensational fracas was started by a Deputy Sheriff, who jerked Fred Hall, the theatre treasurer, from his seat and grabbed the money in the drawer. Mr. Palmer, manager of the Academy of Music in the absence of Harry Draken, tried to prevent the seizure, and was informed that the officer was acting in pursuance of a garnishment by Gustave Hall, and that H. N. Hempstead was security on the bond. The amount involved is \$360. It appears that Hall was under engagement while Sam Jack was manager of the Alice Oates company two years ago, and the alleged indebtedness arose during that period. Mr. Hall is said to be a member of the Strakosch Italian opera company. When he recently he employed an attorney to proceed against the present Oates party upon its arrival in the city. Judge Small and Court Commissioner Ryan happened to be among the audience, and they were called to the scene of the difficulty. A consultation was then held between Watkins, husband of Alice Oates, and the various other parties involved. It was concluded by the lawyers that the present company could not be held for a debt incurred by a former manager of Alice Oates, and the money seized by the deputy sheriff, amounting to \$500 or \$600 was returned to the box office. The performance was not interfered with. At a late hour to-night one of the male members of the Oates company threatened a Sentinel reporter who made offensive interrogations in the course of an interview. The assailant will be arrested if he can be found.

Profit \$1,200.

"To sum it up, six long years of bed-ridden sickness, costing \$200 per year, total \$1,200—all this expense was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters taken by my wife. She does now her own housework for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it, for their benefit."

A WALKING ARSENAL.

UTICA, N. Y., March 16.—Henry Remshaw entered the private office of Dr. Gray, of the Vale Lunatic Asylum, and shot him, but the wound is not fatal. He labors under the delusion that he was an ambassador from heaven, sent by Guiteau and others to shoot Dr. Gray. Remshaw had with him when searched in jail two navy revolvers, and one single-barrel revolver, and one repeater, one dirk, a cleaver, and a bottle of chloroform, with about thirty bundles of cartridges.

Railroad Sociability.

"Speaking about the sociability of railroad travelers," said the man with the crutches and watch pocket over his eye, "I never got so well acquainted with the passengers on a train, as I did the other day on the Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad. We were going at the rate of about thirty miles an hour, and another train from the other direction telescoped us. We were all thrown into each other's society, and brought into immediate social contact, so to speak."

"I went over and sat in the lap of a corpulent lady from Manitoba, and a girl from Chicago jumped over nine seats and sat down on the plug hat of a preacher from La Crosse, with so much timid, girlish enthusiasm, that it shoved his hat down over his shoulders."

"Everybody seemed to lay aside the usual code of reserve of strangers, and we made ourselves entirely at home."

"A shy young man with an emaciated, oilcloth valise, left his own seat, and went over and sat down on a lunch basket where a bridal couple seemed to be wrestling with their first picnic. Do you suppose that reticent young man would have done such a thing on ordinary occasions? Do you think if he had been at a celebration at home that he would have risen impetuously and gone where these people were eating by themselves, and sat down on the cranberry jelly of a fatal stranger?"

"I should rather think not."

"Why, one old man, who probably at home led the class meeting, and who was as dignified as Rascoe Conkling's father, was eating a piece of custard pie, when we met the other train, and he left his own seat and went over to the front end of the car and shot that piece of custard pie into the ear of a beautiful widow from Iowa."

"People traveling somehow forget the austerity of their home lives, and form acquaintances that sometimes last through life."—Laramie Boomerang.

Real and Imaginary.

What a curious fact in human nature is the relation of seeming to being in the drama. Dr. Sheldon, the Archbishop of Canterbury, was once dining with the celebrated Betterton. The Doctor said: "Pray, Mr. Betterton, inform me what is the reason you actors can affect your audiences with speaking of things imaginary as if they were real, while we of the church speak of things real which our congregations only receive as if they were imaginary?"

"Why, my Lord," replied the player, "the reason is plain. We actors speak of things imaginary as if they were real, and you in the pulpit speak of things real as if they were imaginary."

A Philadelphia Trick.

"Here is an article," said the peddler, "that is as cheap as dirt!" A man took the article, and was walking away, when the peddler grabbed him.

"Where's my money for that?" he asked.

"Money," said the man.

"Yes—money."

"Why, you said it was as cheap as dirt; well, I can get all the dirt I want for nothing."

"Well, you can't have it for nothing!" exclaimed the peddler, angrily.

"Friends," said the man, "this peddler has played a dirty trick on us!"—Philadelphia Item.

Firewood and Powder.

They still keep up, in Maine, the pleasant practice of loading sticks of firewood with gunpowder. In this way a great deal of excitement can be created in dull neighborhoods. The tedium of a long winter is effectually broken, also some ribs, and occasionally a skull; but anything is better than absolute stagnation. It is always an interesting question, whether the person blown up stole the billet of wood, or whether he charged one of his own billets and forgot to toss it over into his neighbor's pile.

Moist mortar destroys lead pipe. Underground telegraph wires have been cased in lead pipe, laid in mortar, and the pipes soon become useless. Moist mortar will eat through an ordinary sheet of lead in a year.

An experienced mechanic writes: I have tried chalk, soap, treacle and rosin, to prevent slipping of belts, but like oiling the belts on the inside just before I sleep on Saturday; it preserves belts and beats anything I have tried yet.

In Wyoming, where woman suffrage is established, a man and his wife ran for the same office but on different tickets. The husband was elected.

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The Discovery of Silk and Satin.

The discovery of silk is attributed to one of the wives of the Emperor of China, Hoang-ti, who reigned about 2,000 years before the Christian era; and since that time a special spot has been allotted in the gardens of the Chinese royal palace to the cultivation of the mulberry tree and to the keeping of silk-worms. Persian monks who came to Constantinople revealed to the Emperor Justinian the secret of the production of silk, and gave him some silk-worms. From Greece the art passed into Italy at the end of the thirteenth century. When the Popes left Rome to settle at Avignon, France, they introduced into that country the secret which had been kept by the Italians, and Louis XI. established at Tours a manufactory of silk fabrics. Francis I. founded the Lyons silk works, which to this day have kept the first rank. Henry II, of France, wore, at the wedding of his sister, the first pair of silk hose ever made.

The word "satin," which in the original was applied to all silk stuffs in general, has since the last century been used to designate only tissues which present a lustrous surface. The discovery of this particular brilliant stuff was accidental. Octavio Mai, a silk weaver, finding business very dull, and not knowing what to invent to give a new impulse to the trade, was one day pacing to and fro before his loom. Every time he passed the machine, with no definite object in view, he pulled little threads from the warp and put them into his mouth, which soon after he spit out. Later on he found the little ball of silk on the floor of his workshop, and was attracted by the brilliant appearance of the threads. He repeated the experiment, and, by using certain mucilaginous preparations, succeeded in giving satin to the world.

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